- (original) A method for making a nano-size semiconductor component within a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate, the method comprising, the steps of:
   providing a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate;
  - directing a first thermal energy beam onto a first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the first portion to change the structure of the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate into a first element of a semiconductor component; and
  - directing a second thermal energy beam onto a second portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate adjacent to the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the second portion to form a second element of the semiconductor component.
- 2. (original) A method of claim 1, in which one of the first and second thermal energy beams is selected from the group consisting of a beam of charged particles, a beam of electrons, a beam of ions, a beam of electromagnetic radiation and a laser beam.
- 3. (original) A method of claim 1, in which the nano-size semiconductor component is fabricated parallel to an exposed surface.
- 4. (original) A method of claim 1, in which the nano-size semiconductor component is selected from the group consisting of nanotransistors, nanodiodes, nanosensors, nano-light emitting diodes.

- 5. (original) A method of claim 1, in which the nano-size semiconductor component is selected from the group consisting of circuits of nanodevices, circuits of microdevices and nanodevices and circuits of combinations of microdevices, nanodevices, nanocircuits and microcircuits.
- 6. (original) A method of claim 1 where nano-size semiconductor component is directly fabricated.
- 7. (original) A method of claim 1, in which one of the first and second thermal energy beams is a beam emanating from a laser of a type selected from the group consisting of Nd:YAG, frequency doubled Nd:YAG or Excimer lasers.
- 8. (original) A method of claim 1, in which one of the first and second thermal energy beams is a beam emanating from a Nd:YAG laser having a wavelength emission of 1064 nanometers with a 260 nanosecond pulse width and a 35 kilohertz repetition rate at a power level of at least 40 watts.
- 9. (original) A method of claim 1, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor has a bandgap greater than 2.0 electron volts.
- 10. (original) A method of claim 1, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor is selected from the IV group of the periodic table and having bandgap greater than 2.0 electron volts.

- 11. (original) A method for making a nano-size semiconductor component within a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate, the method comprising, the steps of:

  providing a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate of essentially a single crystal compound;

  directing a first thermal energy beam onto a first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the first portion to change the crystalline compound of the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate into a first element of a semiconductor component; and
  - directing a second thermal energy beam onto a second portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate adjacent to the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the second portion to form a second element of the semiconductor component.
- 12. (original) A method of claim 11, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor compound is selected from the III group and the V group of the periodic table and having bandgap greater than 2.0 electron volts.
- 13. (original) A method of claim 11, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor compound is of a material selected from the group consisting of Aluminum Nitride, Silicon Carbide, Boron Nitride, Gallium Nitride and diamond.

- 14. (original) A method of claim 11, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor compound has one element of the compound with a higher melting point element than the other element of the compound; and the heating of the region of the substrate increasing the concentration of the higher melting
  - the heating of the region of the substrate increasing the concentration of the higher melting point element within the region for forming the conductive element within the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate.
- 15. (original) A method for making a nano-size field effect transistor within a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate, the method comprising, the steps of:
  - providing a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate of essentially a single crystal compound; and
  - directing a first thermal energy beam onto a first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the first portion to change the crystalline structure of the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate into a gate of the nano-size field effect transistor;
  - directing a second thermal energy beam onto a second portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate adjacent to the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for forming a source of the of the nano-size field effect transistor; and
  - directing a third thermal energy beam onto a third portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate adjacent to the first portion of the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for forming a drain of the of the nano-size field effect transistor.

- 16. (original) A method of claim 15, in which one of the first and second thermal energy beams is a beam emanating from a laser of a type selected from the group consisting of Nd:YAG, frequency doubled Nd:YAG or Excimer lasers.
- 17. (original) A method of claim 15, in which one of the first and second thermal energy beams is a beam emanating from a Nd:YAG laser having a wavelength emission of 1064 nanometers with a 260 nanosecond pulse width and a 35 kilohertz repetition rate at a power level of at least 40 watts.
- 18. (original) A method of claim 15, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor has a bandgap greater than 2.0 electron volts.
- 19. (original) A method of claim 15, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor is selected from the IV group of the periodic table and having bandgap greater than 2.0 electron volts.
- 20. (original) A method of claim 15, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor compound is selected from the III group and the V group of the periodic table and having bandgap greater than 2.0 electron volts.
- 21. (original) A method of claim 15, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor compound is of a material selected from the group consisting of Aluminum Nitride, Silicon Carbide, Boron Nitride, Gallium Nitride and diamond.

- 22. (original) A method of claim 15, in which the wide-bandgap semiconductor compound has one element of the compound with a higher melting point element than the other element of the compound; and the heating of the region of the substrate increasing the concentration of the higher melting point element within the region for forming the conductive element within the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate.
- semiconductor substrate, the method comprising, the steps of:

  providing a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate; and

  focusing a thermal energy beam into a region internal the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the region internal the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for changing the structure of the wide-bandgap semiconductor to provide the nano-size

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conductive element.

A method for making a nano-size conductive element within a wide-bandgap

- 24. (currently amended) A method of claim 23, in which one of the first and second thermal energy beams beam is selected from the group consisting of a beam of charged particles, a beam of electrons, a beam of ions, a beam of electromagnetic radiation and a laser beam.
- 25. (original) A method of claim 23, wherein the step of focusing the thermal energy beam includes concentrating a thermal energy beam to a focal point.

- 26. (original) A method of claim 23, wherein the step of focusing the thermal energy beam includes projecting two thermal energy beams to intersect within the region internal the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate.
- 27. (original) A method for making a nano-size element within a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate, the method comprising, the steps of:

  providing a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate;

  providing a doping atmosphere for the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate; and projecting a thermal energy beam onto the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for heating the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for changing the structure of the wide-bandgap semiconductor with the doping atmosphere to provide the nano-size element.
- 28. (original) A method of claim 27 wherein the doping atmosphere is selected from the group consisting of a gaseous metallo-organic doping atmosphere, a vapor metallo-organic doping atmosphere for laser doping the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate.
- 29. (original) A method of claim 27 wherein the doping atmosphere is selected from the group consisting of nitrogen or phosphorous for creating an N-type semiconductor or aluminum or boron for creating a P-type semiconductor.
- 30. (original) A method for making a nano-size element within a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate, the method comprising, the steps of:

  providing a wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate;

the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate for changing the structure of the wide-bandgap semiconductor with to provide the nano-size conducting element;

providing a doping atmosphere for the wide-bandgap semiconductor substrate; and

projecting a thermal energy beam onto a portion of the nano-size conducting element for heating the portion of the nano-size conducting element in the presence of the doping atmosphere for changing the structure of the portion of the nano-size conducting element to provide the nano-size element.